

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 457

Call to Order: Chairman Gary Branae, on April 15, 2009 at 9 A.M.,
in Room 350 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Gary Branae, Chairman (D)
Rep. Margaret MacDonald, Chairman (D)
Rep. Tom Berry (R)
Sen. Jerry W. Black (R)
Rep. Bob Ebinger (D)
Sen. Jeff Essmann (R)
Rep. Gordon Vance (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Nadine Spencer, Committee Secretary
Rachel Weiss, Legislative Services

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Executive Action: SB 457

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 457

00:00:01 Chairman Branae

Discussion:

00:00:50 Sen. Esp
00:01:36 Rep. Ebinger
EXHIBIT(ccs80sb0457a01)

00:06:34 Sen. Esp
00:06:49 Rachel Weiss

00:07:01 **Motion:** Sen. Esp moved the **HOUSE AMENDMENTS BE
REJECTED.**
EXHIBIT(ccs80sb0457a02)

Discussion:

00:07:12 Rep. Berry
00:07:33 Sen. Esp
00:08:30 Rep. MacDonald
00:09:10 Chairman Branae
00:09:51 Rep. Vance
00:10:27 Rep. Ebinger
00:12:15 Rep. Berry
00:12:47 Sen. Black
00:13:11 Rep. Ebinger
00:13:38 Rep. Berry
00:13:58 Rep. Ebinger
00:14:05 Sen. Esp
00:14:12 Rep. MacDonald
00:14:16 Chairman Branae

00:14:25 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by roll call vote.

00:14:50 Chairman Branae
00:15:13 Sen. Esp

NOTE: In lieu of motion, a majority of the committee signed the Committee Report to indicate their recommendation that the CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BE ADOPTED.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 9:20 A.M.

Nadine Spencer, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT ([ccs80sb0457aad.pdf](#))